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Dear Sir or Madame:

I am writing in reference to the Order to Show Cause published August 3, 1978, in the Washington County News, regarding your file ACT-053-002. I would appreciate knowing what date will be the last date for filing a written protest to the proposed action. In the Order to Show Cause, you state that written protest must be submitted within 30 days of July 28, 1978. However, Utah Code Ann Sec. 40-8-13 states that the time for filing written protests shall extend "30 days after the last day of publication", which would be September 2, 1978.

Any clarification you can give would be appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Nuffer".

David Nuffer
Law Clerk

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